ROPEX 2003 Palmares

June 20-22, Webster Community Field House, Webster, NY

Grand - Winner represents ROPEX at Stampshow 2003 in Columbus, OH (Wright Flyer Replica) 151-158 R. Timothy Bartsche - Orange Free State Republican Postage Issues 1868-1900

Reserve Grand - Second Best in Show (Train Set and ATA "World Railways Philatelic" Handbook) 191-200 Galen D. Harrison - Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil War 1861-1865

General Class

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* denotes Rochester Philatelic Association member
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Gold, Vermeil, Silver, Silver Bronze, Bronze medals, Certificate
CH 91-100 Arnold H. Selengut - 150 Years of US Precancels
G 125-130 John W. Allen - Momotombos: The First Airmail Definitives of Nicaragua
   151-158 R. Timothy Bartsche - Orange Free State Republican Postage Issues 1868-1900
    26-35 William H. Bauer* - Otsego County, NY
   159-166 George Cosentini - V-Mail
   113-121 Richard Daffner - The Foreign Mail Issue of Mexico 1879-1883
     61-65 Jack Andre Denys - Bayeux Tapestry- Story, Mystery, History
   138-144 Peter G. Gleason* - The 1920-1923 Air Post Issues of Estonia
   101-110 George T. Guzzio - Germany: The Wagner Semi-Postal Issue of 1933- Specialized
   191-200 Galen D. Harrison - Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil War 1861-1865
G 211-220 Alfred F. Kugel - The Expansion of Greece 1897-1922
    77-83 Robert E. Lana - Italian Classics: Kingdom of Sardinia, 1851-1863
     84-90 Paul A. Larsen - Federal Issues of the Leeward Islands 1890-1911
   145-149 Kurt W. Laubinger- The Politically Inspired Cachets of Bruce R. McIntyre, 1936-1960
   183-190 Randall Martin- Newfoundland Surface Mail
             Walter J. Orton III* - Proprietary "Battleship" Revenue Stamps of 1898 And Their
             Precancel Varieties
            Mary Ann A. Owens - Lady Beetle, Lady Bird, Lady Bug
G 243-245 Mary Ann A. Owens - Those Other Elephants
             Warren S. Wilkinson - British Columbia and Vancouver Island Postal History: 1858-
G 174-182
             William Woytowich - The Evolution of Postage Currency: Fractional Notes and
G 246-250
             Encased Postage
             Louis T. Call - Examples of Early NY State Postmarks Used by Railroad Route
             Agents, Railroad Postal Clerks, and Station Agents, 1830's-1880's
             William H. Hatton - The Sincerest Flattery- Non-Philatelic Imitations of Stamps,
    221-230
             Covers, and Associated Items
      6-10
             Regis Hoffman - Letters to the Stars
    236-239 Alice Johnson* - A Multitude of Angels
     36-40 Martin Margulis - 19th Century Ship Mail Through New York City
    201-207 Robert Meegan - United States Domestic Letter Rates, 1825 to 1900
     51-58 Howard H. Schloss - The New York World's Fair 1939-1940
    122-124 Richard Cropp - Mt. Momotombo, Nicaragua 1900-1905
             Frank Garancovsky - Czechoslovakia 1st Issues: Complete Plating 100h Hradcany,
   231-235 Martin Margulis - The Airship in the Americas
    21-25 John Price, MD - Selections of Long Island Postal History
    208-210 Don Schurr - Spanish Postal History: A Selection from 1850-1880
            Raymond M. Stone* - Planes, Trains and Automobiles- Transportation Coil FDCs
            Alan Anderson - Swords on Stamps
SB
    71-74
            Alice Johnson* - Meterly Speaking - Let's Eat
SB
             Igor Kuchuk - Airship LZ-127 "Graf Zeppelin" Mail 1928-1937
      4-5
             Walter J. Orton III* - Pioneer Telegraph Companies of the Northeast Showing Covers
SB 241-242
             and/or Telegraphs
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Marge Schleining* - Getting Around: Planes, Trains, Cars and Motorcycles

Youth Class

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Gold, Vermeil, Silver, Silver Bronze, Bronze medals \$ 168-170 Theresa Meegan- Foxes (age 18)

Single Frame Class (as judged by American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors standards) Platinum, Gold, Vermeil, Silver, Silver Bronze, Bronze medals, Certificate (NC=non-competitive)

- John W. Allen The 3 Cent Liberty Postal Card of 1958
- 50 Doug and Nancy Z. Clark* - Maine Way Mail
- G 171 Randall Martin - New Brunswick Pre-Confederation Stamped Mail 1851-1868
- G 172 Randall Martin - Nova Scotia Pre-Confederation Stamped Mail 1851-1868
- Randall Martin Prince Edward Island Pre-Confederation Stamped Mail 1861-1873 G
- ٧ 59 Howard Lee - Usages of the 8 Cent Grant - U.S. 4th Bureau Issue
 - Howard Lee Usages of the 11 Cent Hayes U.S. 4th Bureau Issue 60
- Alan Parsons* 19th Century Railroad Postal Markings Related to Steuben, Schuyler, 46 V Chemung and Tioga Counties, NY
- S 48 William J. Hart - New York State RFD Hand Cancels
- C 49 Raymond M. Stone* - A Transportation Coil FDC Tale
- NC 167 Mary Ann A. Owens - The Badger
- Ann Triggle* Clarence, NY NC 47
- NC Ann Triggle* - The Pharmacy Stamp of 1972

Rochester Philatelic Association

• Larry R. Moriarty Sr. Memorial Award - Excellence in an Exhibit Not Winning the Grand or Reserve Grand Relating to Transportation (Corvette Model Cars and Stand)

> Louis T. Call - Examples of Early NY State Postmarks Used by Railroad Route Agents. Railroad Postal Clerks, and Station Agents, 1830's-1880's

- Andy Hale Award Excellence in a General Exhibit by an RPA Member (perpetual plaque) William H. Bauer* - Otsego County, NY
- Virginia Gubler Award Best Thematic Exhibit by an RPA Member (perpetual pewter tray) Alice Johnson* - A Multitude of Angels
- Best Overall Single Frame Exhibit Earning a Gold or Platinum (pewter mail car replica) Doug and Nancy Z. Clark* - Maine Way Mail
- LRM Popularity Award Most Popular as Voted by ROPEX Attendees (plaque) Kurt W. Laubinger- The Politically Inspired Cachets of Bruce R. McIntyre, 1936-1960

American Philatelic Society

- Medal and Ribbon of Excellence Pre-1900 Material Galen D. Harrison - Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil War 1861-1865
- Medal and Ribbon of Excellence 1900-1940 Material
- John W. Allen Momotombos: The First Airmail Definitives of Nicaragua
- Medal and Ribbon of Excellence 1940-1980 Material George Cosentini - V-Mail
- Medal and Ribbon of Excellence Post-1980 Material Not awarded
- Medal and Ribbon for Research Excellence
 - William Woytowich The Evolution of Postage Currency: Fractional Notes and Encased

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors

- Award of Honor- Excellence in Presentation Not Winning a Gold Medal (cloisonné pin)
 - Louis T. Call Examples of Early NY State Postmarks Used by Railroad Route Agents. Railroad Postal Clerks, and Station Agents, 1830's-1880's
- Award of Honor- Excellence in Presentation Not Winning a Gold Medal (cloisonné pin) Howard H. Schloss - The New York World's Fair 1939-1940
- Creativity in Philatelic Exhibiting Award (gold medal)
 - Kurt W. Laubinger- The Politically Inspired Cachets of Bruce R. McIntyre, 1936-1960
- AAPE Youth Grand- winner enters AAPE's Youth "Champion of Champions" (certificate and ribbon) Theresa Meegan- Foxes (age 18)

Novice Award- Best Exhibit of a First Time Exhibitor (AAPE year membership and exhibiting book)
 Alan Anderson - Swords on Stamps

American Airmail Society

• Best Airmail Exhibit (medal)

Peter G. Gleason* - The 1920-1923 Air Post Issues of Estonia

American First Day Cover Society

• Best Exhibit of First Day Covers (plate and certificate)

Howard H. Schloss - The New York World's Fair 1939-1940

American Philatelic Congress

• Excellence in Written Text in an Exhibit (Congress Book)

Kurt W. Laubinger- The Politically Inspired Cachets of Bruce R. McIntyre, 1936-1960

American Topical Association

• First Place Award Earning a National Bronze or Higher (medal and ribbon)

Jack Andre Denys - Bayeux Tapestry- Story, Mystery, History

• Second Place Award (medal and ribbon)

Mary Ann A. Owens - Lady Beetle, Lady Bird, Lady Bug

• Third Place Award (medal and ribbon)

Alice Johnson* - A Multitude of Angels

• One Frame Merit Award (ribbon)

Not awarded

British North America Philatelic Society

• Best BNA Exhibit (ribbon)

Warren S. Wilkinson - British Columbia and Vancouver Island Postal History: 1858-1871

Empire State Postal History Society Awards

- Best NY State Multi-Frame Postal History Exhibit Earning a Vermeil or Gold (*large Waterford clock*)
 Louis T. Call Examples of Early NY State Postmarks Used by Railroad Route Agents,
 Railroad Postal Clerks, and Station Agents, 1830's-1880's
- Best State Postal History Single Frame Exhibit Earning a Vermeil or Higher (small Waterford clock)
 Doug and Nancy Z. Clark* Maine Way Mail
- Certificate of Participation for State Postal History Exhibits

William H. Bauer* Louis T. Call Doug and Nancy Z. Clark* William J. Hart
Martin Margulis Alan Parsons* John Price, MD Ann Triggle*

German Philatelic Society

• Gold (medal)

George T. Guzzio - Germany: The Wagner Semi-Postal Issue of 1933- Specialized

· Silver (medal)

Not awarded

• Bronze (medal)

Not awarded

Postal History Society

Best Exhibit of Postal History Earning a National Vermeil or Gold (medal)
 Galen D. Harrison - Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil War 1861-1865

United States Philatelic Classics Society

 Best U.S. Exhibit up to the First Bureau Issue of 1894 Earning a National Vermeil or Gold and Not Winning this Award in a 24 Month Period (gold medal)

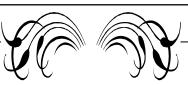
William Woytowich - The Evolution of Postage Currency: Fractional Notes and Encased Postage

United States Stamp Society

• Statue of Freedom Award- Best U.S. Exhibit from 1847 Onwards (medal)

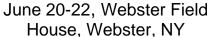
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Grand Award

R. Timothy Bartsche

Orange Free State Republican Postage Issues 1868-1900

Reserve Grand

Galen D. Harrison

Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil War 1861-1865

Judging Panel

Guy Dillaway, Chairman (Weston, MA) Lois M. Evans-de Violini (Oxnard, CA) Al Guenzburger (Guilford, NY) Peter K. Iber (Peoria, AZ) Stephen L. Suffet (Sunnyside, NY)

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